

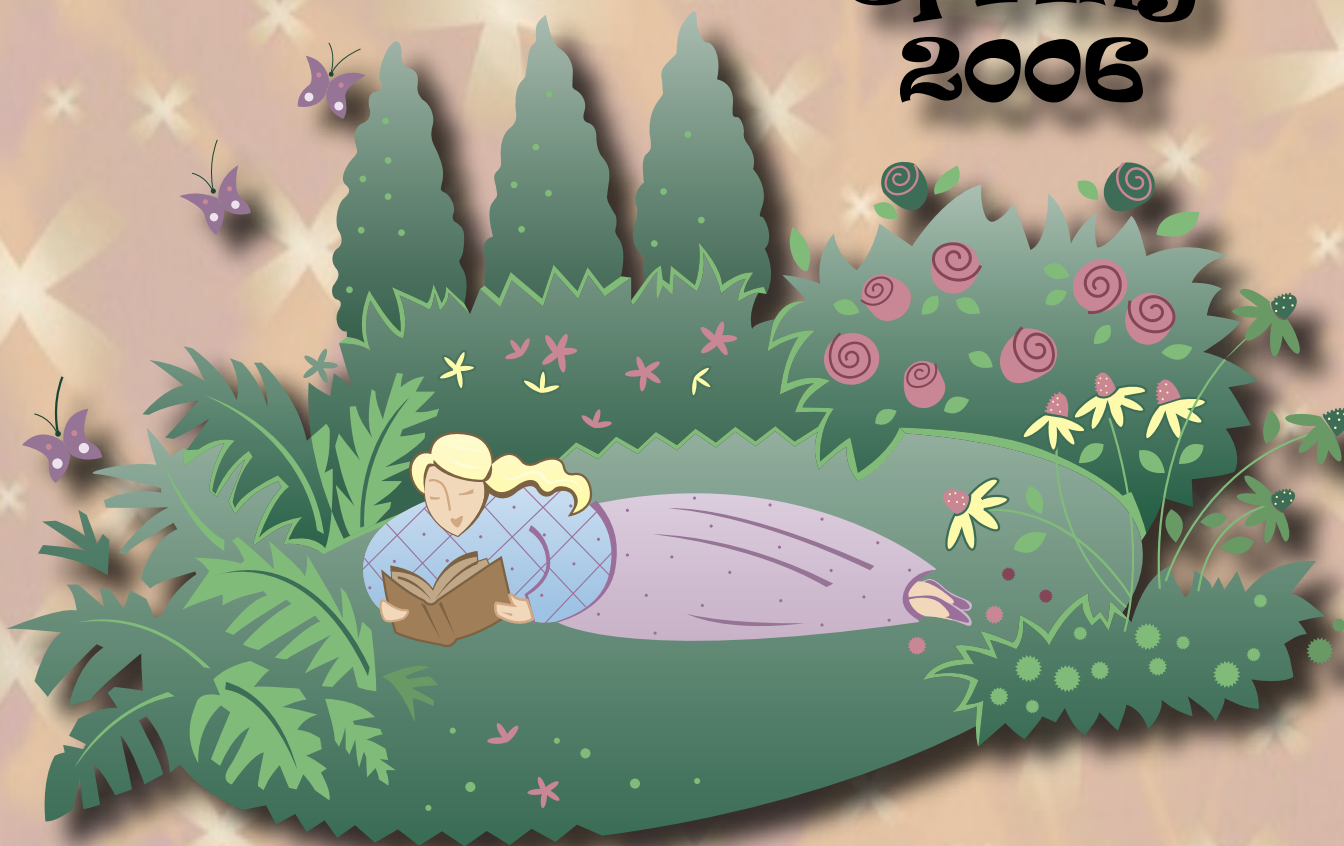


**SEATTLE PARKS
AND RECREATION**

Ballard

Community Center & Pool

**Spring
2006**



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Ballard Community Center
6020 28th Avenue NW
Seattle WA 98107
206-684-4093

Ballard Pool
1471 NW 67th St
Seattle, WA 98117
206-684-4094

Registration Begins
March 13, 2006
Classes Begin April 10
(unless otherwise noted)

Visit us on the web at www.seattle.gov/parks

Ballard Community Center

6020 28th Ave NW

Seattle, WA 98107

Phone: 206-684-4093 Fax: 206-706-7252

Visit us online at www.seattle.gov/parks!

Hours of operation

Mon, Wed, & Fri 11 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Tues & Thurs 1 – 9 p.m.

Sat (through May 20) 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sat (after May 20) Closed

Program dates

Classes begin the week of April 10 unless otherwise posted.

Holiday closures

Monday, May 29, Memorial Day

Program registration, March 13 or until class is full

1. **Phone-in**, 206-684-4093. We'll pick up voice mail messages frequently and call you back. Please be clear and specific with your class request.
2. **E-Mail**: Contact us by our internet address: ballardcc@seattle.gov.
3. **Walk-in**: *Walk-in is considered to be the most effective way to register. We also accept phone-in registration with a credit card.*

Mission

Seattle Parks and Recreation will work with all citizens to be good stewards of our environment, and to provide safe and welcoming opportunities to play, learn, contemplate, and build community.

Scholarships

Our Advisory Council wants to ensure that our activities, classes and sports are available to everyone, regardless of their ability to pay. The Council may choose to offer scholarships for qualified applicants. To apply for a scholarship, please talk to a member of our staff.

Rentals

For information about room rentals, please view our facility rental brochure (www.seattle.gov/parks/reservations/facrentalguide.htm).

Professional Staff

Ken Bounds, *Superintendent*

B. J. Brooks, *Deputy Superintendent*

Christopher Williams, *Operations Director*

Maureen A. O'Neill, *North Recreation Manager*

Tom Ostrom, *North Sr Recreation Coordinator*

Michael Yasutake, *Center Coordinator*

Robert Wilkens, *Asst Center Coordinator*

Lakema Bell, *Teen Development Leader*

Elaine Dunn, *Recreation Attendant*

Sean O'Feery, *Child Care Director*

Anthony Robinson, *Building Maintenance*

Payment

You can pay for classes and other activities by mail, in person during regular facility hours, or by telephone with a credit card. We accept Visa, MasterCard and American Express. Please make checks and money orders out to City of Seattle. **Please note:** Payment is due when you register, unless we have indicated otherwise. If your check is returned for insufficient funds, your registration will be cancelled until you pay the amount due, plus a \$20 fee. (Credit card or cash only.) We are working on a system that will make online registration available.

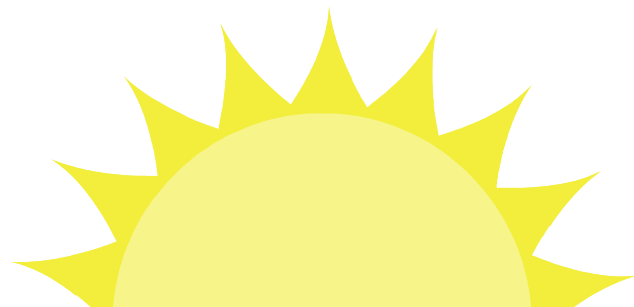
Refunds

It is the policy of Seattle Parks and Recreation and the Associated Recreation Council that:

- Anyone who registers for a class, camp, special event or program that is cancelled for any reason by Parks and Recreation or the Advisory Council will receive a full refund.
- Anyone who registers for a day camp, trip, overnight camp, special event, or facility rental, and who requests a refund 14 days or more before its start (or before the second session of a class), may receive a refund minus a service charge.
- Anyone who registers for a day camp, trip, overnight camp, special event, or facility rental, and who withdraws from the activity fewer than 14 days before its start (or after the second session of a class), will receive no refund.
- Please read the entire policy, #7.16, for specific information.

Search for Classes Online!

Visit www2.seattle.gov/parks/brochure to search our classes by keyword.



Special Events

Big Band Concert

\$3/donation

This is a Big Band Jazz concert suitable for the whole family. Music will cover some of our well known and most respected Jazz composers and arrangers...as well a few surprises too!

The bandmembers are comprised of students, professionals and serious amateurs.

The main goal is to keep our most important and uniquely American art form "JAZZ" alive!



You're invited to the Golden Gardens Bathhouse to bob your head, snap your fingers and tap your toes to what promises to be a "Swingin'" evening!

The newly remodeled bathhouse is located west of Ballard in Golden Gardens Park, 8498 Seaview Ave NW 98117.

\$3.00 entry donation requested and refreshments will be sold to help defray the performance cost.

Fri, Jun 30

7 - 9 p.m.

Location: Golden Gardens Bathhouse

FLASHLIGHT EGG HUNT

The 2006 Flashlight Egg Hunt will be held at the Ballard Community Center, 6020 28 NW, 684-4093

Make sure you bring a bag or basket to hold your goodies!

Instructor: Volunteers needed

Age: 10 to 13 years

Fri, Apr 14

8 p.m. Sharp!

Spring Egg Hunt

Join us for the annual Ballard CC Spring Egg Hunt!

There will be lots of goodies and specially marked eggs that you can redeem for prizes! You can even take a photo with the "Big Bunny" for \$1.00. Make sure to bring a basket or bag to put all of your goodies in!

In case of inclement weather the community center will be used. Ages 9 and Under. Parents are asked to please supervise your toddlers and pre-school aged children. Volunteers needed. Please call the center, 684-4093.

Instructor: Staff/Volunteers

Age: 9 and Under

Sat, Apr 15

10 a.m. sharp

Location: Ballard CC Field



Parents' Night Out

Parents get a night off and children get an evening away. Dinner, movies, games, playtime and more.

#5395 **Fri, Apr 28** **6 - 9 p.m.**

#5396 **Fri, May 26** **6 - 9 p.m.**

#5397 **Fri, Jun 16** **6 - 9 p.m.**

Activity Fee - 1st Child \$15.00

Activity Fee - 2nd Child \$10.00

HARDWOOD FLOOR RESURFACING ALTER:

Between April 24 - May 7 some classes will be interrupted due to floor maintenance. Signs will be posted and instructors will issue updates as to the relocations or cancelled classes.

Adult Fitness

Aerobic Exercise – Evening

Choose an aerobic and strengthening workout in a convenient location-your Seattle Parks and Recreation. Ballard Community Center offers an exercise program that will enhance your quality of life!

Your flexibility and balance will improve; you'll tighten muscle tone and lose weight; you'll learn about exercise nutrition; you'll meet some dedicated fellow participants who will encourage you; it won't cost huge monthly rates like the clubs...all from one class two nights a week!

Ideal for all fitness levels or previous exercise class experience. Its co-ed, pals and significant others are encouraged to attend.

Bonnie Lochner, a certified aerobics instructor, has taught a variety of exercise programs throughout Seattle for several years. Join her and take an introductory class free!

Punch Card system.

10 visits - \$45

20 visits - \$80

30 visits - \$110

Sign in each class

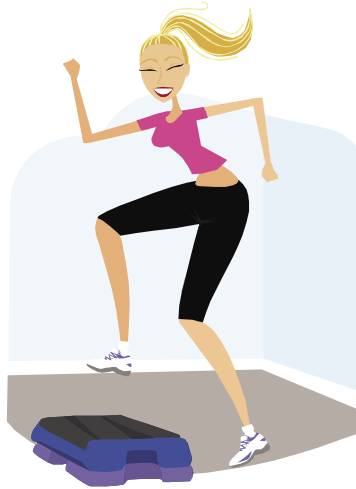
No class Monday, May 29

Instructor: Bonnie Lochner

Mon/Wed Mar 27 – Jun 14

Location: Captain Ballard Room

6:30 – 7:30 p.m.



Aerobics – Morning

Get the kids off to school and meet us for a mid-morning workout. Whatever your schedule, this is a full-on exercise program that you won't want to give up after you've begun.

Katie will blend a variety of movements in order to provide cardiovascular exercise and strength training to burn fat and tone muscle.

Your flexibility and balance will improve; you'll tighten muscle tone and lose weight; you'll learn about exercise nutrition; you'll meet some dedicated fellow participants who will encourage you...all from one class up to three times a week!

Great fun for all fitness levels. You can positively change or improve your physical fitness and body shape.

Katie Franklin has taught the aerobic workout program for Seattle Parks and Recreation for more than four years. She maintains top notch routines and up-to-date exercises by networking in the aerobics community.

Join us for a free introductory class! Babysitting available for participants during this class.

Punch Cards:

10 visits - \$45

20 visits - \$80

30 visits - \$110

Instructor: Katie Franklin

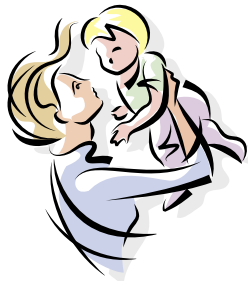
MWF 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Mar 27 – Jun 16

Aerobics Babysitting — Morning

Toddlers and preschooler now have a place to go when you exercise in the Ballard Community Center morning Aerobics class.

Two hired adults will watch your precious children in the Toddler Play Room. Please change and feed the babies at home to ensure a better time for all participants.



Sign in each day, your punch card will be punched by staff.

Punch card system: 10 uses for \$30.00, \$2.00 each additional child per day.

MWF

Mar 27 – Jun 16

Fees: Punch Card: 10 uses, \$30.00, \$2.00 each additional child

Location: Toddler Play Room

Adult Athletics

Yoga - Stress Reducer/ Energy Increaser 1

\$42

Your goal: reduce stress in your life and keep up the energy to manage it. Your solution: Tracy Zitnik's Yoga class at Ballard Community Center. You will develop core strength, flexibility, and a "quiet mind" through simple breath and movement exercises. Nothing mysterious. Treat yourself: join this popular class and come away refreshed--every time! Tracy Zitnik has taught the Vinyasa, or "Flow", yoga for over 10 years. She studied at the Krishnamacharya Yoga Mandiram program in the city of Chennai, India. She incorporates your modern lifestyle into learning about being "In" body alignment and awareness of when you are "Out" of it, and how little changes affect your life, muscles, sleep, and attitude. New participants are welcome to try the first class free.

Location: Captain Ballard Room

Session 1

#6921 Tue, Apr 11 - May 9

7 - 8 pm

Yoga - Stress Reducer/Energy Increaser 2

Session 2

#6922 Tue, May 16 - Jun 13

7 - 8 p.m.



Drop-In Basketball

Drop in to Ballard Community Center on Friday nights for a run on the court or just shoot a bunch of free throws!

Fridays Apr 14 - Jun 16

6 - 8:45 p.m.

Fees: \$2.00 per person

Volleyball - Drop in play

Tuesday night at Ballard Community Center is the place for drop in volleyball. Open to 30 players of all skill levels on two courts, you just have to call your own goofs.

This is a relaxing evening of volleyball, plus we pick and mix up the teams randomly to add sociability!

Registration begins at 6:30 p.m., play begins at 7:05 p.m. for the 30 players.

Adult Drop-in volleyball.

Age: Adults

Tuesdays 7 - 8:45 p.m.

Apr 11 - Jun 13

Fees: \$2.00 per person

Location: Gymnasium

Badminton - Drop-in

Drop-in Badminton on two courts. Equipment provided. One of the world's popular sports, this is a fun, (and humbling) sport.

Call Ballard CC for more information, 684-4093.

Mondays 7 - 8:45 p.m.

Apr 10 - Jun 12

Fees: \$2.00 per person

Location: Ballard CC Gym

Drop-in Juggling

Jugglers of the northwest unite on Monday evenings at Ballard Community Center. Half the gym is devoted to flights of skill and crashes of test piloting! Basically, here's a place with high ceilings (and no table lamps) to practice and watch others perform. No swords, bowling balls, diapers, sloppy food or other floor-damaging items should be juggled in the gym.

This is not a class, though "instructions" are sometimes given! Registration begins at 6:45 p.m.; juggling begins at 7:05 p.m. Call a few coordinated buddies and perform away! 684-4093 for other information.

Universal Juggling etiquette required at all times!

No juggling Mon May 29

Mondays 7 - 8:45 p.m.

Apr 10 - Jun 12

Fees: \$2.00 per juggler

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Adult Pottery

Pottery - Adult

Learn basic throwing techniques on the potter's wheel or in hand building. Beginning, intermediate and advanced levels at some sites.

Basic & Continuing Pottery

Ages 12 and older

Cultivate a creative outlet and use your precious free time productively by making and finishing useable pottery pieces! In 8 weeks you will have thrown, coiled, or slab-constructed several art pieces. You will trim, glaze, and fire them and finish with a very personal sense of accomplishment. No special fees with Seattle Parks and Recreation, no huge commitment--other than to your own artistic talent. Bring pals and/or significant others to increase the enjoyment, or come alone to a welcoming environment. Find an artistic home at Ballard Community Center's local full-service pottery studio. Instructor: Andrea Hays

Location: Pottery Room

#5764 Wed, Apr 12-May 31 6:15 - 8:45 p.m.

Activity Fee \$145.00



Introduction to Pottery

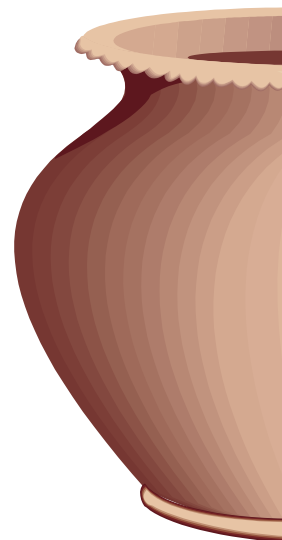
Ages 12 and older

Clay is an exciting material to work with because it is directly responsive to your hands--the artist. The NEW artist. In this basic introduction to pottery you will explore a variety of pottery-making techniques including wheel throwing, hand building, coiling, slab work, molding, tile making, and clay extrusion. Matt will teach you first make a cool creation, then to glaze it and/or decorate its surface by methods of texturing, painting and etching. Instruction will focus on providing you with an understanding of the dynamics of working with clay and will be tailored to your interests. There will be ample time for you to learn skills, hone them, and create your own pottery pieces that you had only previously imagined possible! Matt Cantrell has a broad knowledge of pottery techniques and enjoys exposing new adult students to the relaxing hobby & craft of pottery. His teaching style will work to draw out the best in your newfound skills so that you can create objects that are beautiful, unique and useful. Instructor: Matt Cantrell

Location: Pottery Room

#5760 Tue, Apr 11 - May 30 6:15 - 8:45 p.m.

Activity Fee \$145.00



Ballard Pottery Studio

Ballard Community Center does not offer an "open studio."

Participants who are currently registered in Ballard Community Center classes may practice in the pottery studio when it is not scheduled for other activities and the community center is open. General times to be posted in the studio, not guaranteed.

Age: Adults

Apr 10 - Jun 16

Location: Pottery Studio

Music

Seattle Civic Band

The Seattle Civic Band is an intergenerational community band composed of wind, percussion, and brass instrumentalists. It was founded in 1989, shortly after the opening to the Ballard Community Center.

The Civic Band presents concerts throughout the Puget Sound area, playing a repertoire of light classical, popular Broadway and march tunes. The band is actively seeking new members in all sections. No auditions are required, and players of all levels and ability are welcome.

A quarterly fee from each member covers registration and music expenses. Call 282-5471 for more information.

Instructor: Jo-Ann Christen

Apr 13 – Jun 15

Location: Captain Ballard Room

Friday Jazz Jam

Ages 19-64

Come join us at the Ballard Community Center for a once a month jam session. Dates: April 21, May 19, June 23. *****We are also looking for musicians who would like to perform in a “Big Band Concert” Friday, June 30th, 7 – 9 p.m. at the Golden Gardens bath House. At the monthly jam sessions we will work on Jazz standards with a special emphasis on group interaction, communication and improvisation. This is an intergenerational activity and all ages are welcome. Requirements: have own instrument, some ability to read music and the desire to learn and share with others. A piano is available. The fees collected are for all four jam sessions and help cover supply costs. Call the community center, (206) 684-4093 for more information.

Location: Captain Ballard Room

#6389 Fri, Apr 21, May 19, Jun 23 7 – 9 p.m.

**Activity Fee: Adult – \$10.00, Youth – \$5.00,
Senior – \$5.00**

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"One Fun Summer"

2006 Summer Day Camps at Ballard Community Center

Summer child care programs for kindergarten to age 14

Quality programs from Seattle Parks and Recreation

All activities are safe, well-run, and age appropriate

General Info:

- Experienced staff led by Sean O'Feery
- 10 Weekly camps from June 26 – Sep 1
- Ballard CC is a licensed child care provider certified by DSHS
- \$135 per week (pay 1st week in full and \$25 deposit for each other week)
- Registration starts April 10th
- Scholarships available



Camp Features:

Fun weekly themes, well-planned field trips, lots of art, active & passive play, indoors and outdoors, great nutritious snacks, reading and Library visits, good movies, swimming and lots of getting wet, & environmental stewardship activities ...so easy to make new friends...you won't want to go home!

ELEMENTARY (K-5th GRADE) • MIDDLE SCHOOL (11-14yr olds)

We split our camp into two great groups:

K through 2nd Grades and 3rd through 5th Grades

This very popular camp returns for its 3rd year @ Ballard CC

Main Camp hours: Mon-Fri, 9:30am-3:30pm;

Extended hours start at 7 a.m. ending at 6 p.m.

It's a "GO!" Camp...we check in the morning then take off on adventure after adventure

...come home happy and tired!

Space is limited, don't wait too long!

Camp hours 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday through Friday

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view our programs online: www.seattle.gov/parks key word: Ballard

Childcare – Before / After School

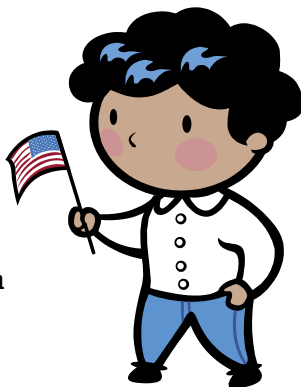
The Ballard Community Center Before & After School programs offer child-friendly care that is easy for working parents of kindergarten-5th graders. There's so much to do and so little time - games, cooking, playing, reading, art, crafts, sports, music, dance, computers, ball fields, playgrounds, special visitors, special interest groups, and field trips - WOW! This program is a fully-licensed DSHS site which provides for the highest quality time away from school or home. Most children attend Adams, West Woodland, Whittier, Salmon Bay, or Loyal Heights schools.

After School

You must register in person at the community center for this program.

5 day: \$230.00/month
4 day: \$220.00/month
3 day: \$165.00/month
2 day: \$110.00/month
1 day: \$ 55.00/month
5 day: \$220.00*/month
(*2nd Child Discount)

3 – 6 p.m.



Spring Break Camp '06

Ages 5-12

Come join us for an exciting fun week of activities. This camp is for ages K-5. The activities involve art and cooking projects, gym games, and field trips.

Mon – Fri, Apr 10 – 14 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Day Camp - Full Week \$135.00
2nd Child Discount \$130.00

Before School 7 – 8:45 a.m.

This relaxing morning program helps ready your child for the day ahead. Morning snack is provided. You

must register in person at the community center for this program.

5 day: \$150.00/month
4 day: \$145.00/month
3 day: \$110.00/month
2 day: \$ 75.00/month
1 day: \$ 40.00/month
5 day: \$140.00*/month
(*2nd Child Discount)



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Dandelion Dance

Parent Toddler Creative Dance (Walking – 3 yrs)

Ages 1-3

Experience the joy of dancing with your child while exploring music concepts and learning new skills. Brightly colored props and a wide variety of music and rhythm instruments make for a fun and educational environment. Activities are taught that can be explored at home. Caregivers always welcome!

Instructor: Anne McBroom

Location: Captain Ballard Room

#5674 Tue, Apr 4 – Jun 13 9 – 9:50 a.m.

Activity Fee \$75.00

Creative Dance for Preschool (Ages 3 – 4)

These classes are a unique blend of dance and drama taught through the conceptual approach. Children experience the joy of movement while engaging the imagination, learning dance techniques, and enhancing brain development. It is fun and healthy! Through rhyming exercise, movement stories, and dance combinations, children gain confidence in their bodies while expanding their creative choices! Boys as well as girls have enjoyed Teacher Anne's Dandelion Dance classes for many years. Parents and friends are invited to come and celebrate our learning with us on the last day of class.

Instructor: Anne McBroom

Location: Captain Ballard Room

Activity Fee \$75.00

#5746 Tue, Apr 4 – Jun 13 10 – 10:45 a.m.

#5743 Sat, Apr 1 – Jun 17 9:15 – 10 a.m.



Creative Ballet (Ages 4 – 5) \$75

Exploring ballet skills and vocabulary through creative dance helps dancers learn more easily and enjoyably. Dance concepts as well as beginning barre and basic ballet technique will be explored.

Students will learn fun dance combinations and gain greater skills to create their own. Students who have wanted to take ballet in a non-competitive environment will enjoy this class.

Parents and friends are invited to come and celebrate our learning on the last day of class.

Instructor: Anne McBroom

Location: Captain Ballard Room

#5676 Sat, Apr 1 – Jun 17 10 – 10:55 a.m.

#7469 Sat, Apr 1 – Jun 17 12 – 12:55 p.m.

#5677 Tue, Apr 4 – Jun 13 11 – 11:55 a.m.

Creative Ballet (Ages 6 – 8)

Exploring ballet skills and vocabulary through creative dance helps dancers learn more easily and enjoyably. Dance concepts as well as beginning barre and basic ballet technique will be explored.

Students will learn fun dance combinations and gain greater skills to create their own. Students who have wanted to take ballet in a non-competitive environment will enjoy this class.

Parents and friends are invited to come and celebrate our learning on the last day of class.

Instructor: Anne McBroom

Location: Captain Ballard Room

#5675 Sat, Apr 1 - Jun 17 11 - 11:55 a.m.

Activity Fee \$75.00



Dance

Creative Dance

\$75

Through fantasy and games, children learn basic movement skills and vocabulary such as hopping, leaping, gliding, and stretching, just to name a few. Children will also be encouraged to work as a team and make individual choices in their expressive movement. Children should wear close fitting clothes with gym or ballet slippers or no-slip socks. Parents and friends are invited to join us for a performance on the last day of class.



Class age by March 30, 2006. 11 weeks. No uniform/costume requirements for this class.

Instructor: Chloe Davenport

Location: Captain Ballard Room

3 Year Olds

#5671 Thu, Mar 30 – Jun 15 12:30 – 1:15 p.m.

Activity Fee \$75.00

4 Year Olds

#5672 Thu, Mar 30 – Jun 15 1:15 – 2 p.m.

Activity Fee \$75.00

Courses that teach the basics of correct body alignment and proper ballet technique.

Ballet 1 (5-7yrs)

Basic ballet vocabulary is taught and combined into fun, energetic and expressive dances. Traditional ballet barre and center-floor work will be introduced and a creative game will round out the hour.

Please Note: Ballet 2 is taught by Ms. Chloe at Loyal Heights Community Center, 684-4052

Instructor: Chloe Davenport

Location: Captain Ballard Room

Activity Fee: \$75

#5762 Thu, Mar 30 – Jun 15

4:15 – 5 p.m.

Activity Fee: \$95

#5669 Thu, Mar 30 – Jun 15

5 – 6 p.m.

Ballet 3

\$190

This is a class for boys and girls who have had a year or more of Ballet 2 and/or instructor permission. Students will continue to develop skills at the barre and in the center as well as their expressive abilities through creative and compositional assignments.

Instructor: Chloe Davenport

Age: Ages 8 to 12 as of Sept 1

#5856 Tuesdays (at Loyal Heights CC)

3/28 – 6/13

5:15 – 6:15 p.m.

#5856 Thursdays (at Ballard CC)

3/30 – 6/15

6 – 7 p.m.

No class 4/11 & 4/13

Pre-Ballet (4-5yrs)

\$75

Children experience the joy of dancing while learning basic movement skills and vocabulary including sliding, jumping, turning, and balancing. Beginning ballet concepts are taught through short fun dances and rhythmic games as well as creative assignments. Uniform requirement: Girls: pink tights and pink ballet slippers, leotard and hair pulled into a bun if possible. Boys: black tights and black ballet slippers and a T-shirt.

Instructor: Chloe Davenport

Location: Captain Ballard Room

#7193 Thu, Mar 30 – Jun 15 3:30 – 4:15 p.m.



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Summer Dance Camp

Dance Production Camp

Ages 7-11

Do you like Ballet, Creative Dance or dance in general? Would you like to know more about how to make a dance production happen? Well, this summer we'll swing, hop, twirl, and twist our way around a fun theme. We'll prepare costumes and/or props, learn about choreography (making up your own dance) and then we'll put it all together and let the drama unfold! Parents and friends are welcome to a presentation TBA at the end of the session. Snacks provided. This was a very successful event last summer, so don't miss out on the fun! Check out parallel programming at Ravenna-Eckstein CC, and plan on attending more than one dance camp with Miss Chloe. Each camp offers a different theme.

Instructor: Chloe Davenport

Location: Multi Purpose Room

#7070

Mon, Wed, Fri

Activity Fee: \$175.00

Jul 24 – Aug 4

1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Preschool Dance Camp

Ages 4-6

Do you like Ballet, Creative Dance or dance in general? Well, this summer we will dance, swing, hop, and twirl our way around a fun theme. Then we'll develop what we've learned into a performance. Parents and friends are welcome to our presentation at the end of the session. Snacks provided. Dress code: Comfortable dance clothes of any style. Hair pulled out of the face.

Instructor: Chloe Davenport

Location: Multi Purpose Room

#7071 Jul 31 – Aug 3

Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu

9:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Activity Fee: \$85.00



Toddlers/Preschool

ABC/123

\$210

Are you ready to play and learn all at the same time? If the answer is yes then come and join us for a fun filled time of learning our ABC's and 123's. We will have a writing calendar, singing, playing, exploring, plus much, much more.

Class age (4 & 5) by Sep 1, 2005

Instructors: Debbi Welsh & Penny Atwood

Location: Kids Room

#5666

M/W/F Apr 3 – Apr28 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

#5667

M/W/F May 1 – 31 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

#5668

M/W/F Jun 2 – 16 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.



Toddler Play Room

Drop in and play with your child with big soft toys, plastic climbers, kitchens, blocks, and other fun things. Please stay and supervise your child.

\$2.00 per family per day; exact amount please. No Food in room.

Health Dept mandate: You are required to take changed diapers away with you.

Closed Monday, May 29.

Saturdays, Apr 3 – Jun 16

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

MWF 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Tue/Thu 1 – 8 p.m.



Fun with Friends

\$140

Make lasting friendships while learning. We will be doing circle time, show 'n' tell, puzzles, games, songs, art, gym, and much more! So come and join us, and lets have fun!

Class age (3) by Sept 1, 2005

Instructors: Debbi Welsh & Penny Atwood

Location: Kids Room

#5757

Tue, Thu Apr 4 – 27

9:30 – 12:30 p.m.

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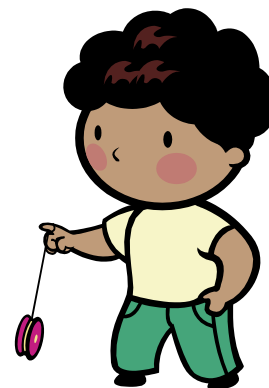
Tue, Thu May 2 – 30

9:30 – 12:30 p.m.

#5759

Tue, Thu Jun 1 – 20

9:30 – 12:30 p.m.



Toddler Gym Time

This is the best entertainment in town--a gym for your toddler to run, ride, and socialize with other toddlers. Bikes, balls, mats, and other toys provided, or bring your own trike! Meet YOUR friends and relax rain or shine.

\$2.00 per family per day; exact amount please. No Food in gym.

Health Dept mandate: You are required to take changed diapers away with you.

Closed: Monday, May 29

MWF 11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Fees: \$2.00 per family also includes Toddler Play Room

HARDWOOD FLOOR RESURFACING ALTER:

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Youth

Kids Clay Phenomenon (5-8 yrs)

\$65

Afterschool creativity for children who wish to explore art and imagination. With good fundamental instructions by Andrea, your child will learn to make small sculptures, magnets, wind chimes, beads and more. We will use molds and hand-building techniques to make cups and bowls you can really use. Children come away from class feeling stronger about themselves and their ability to engage in creating real things!

NO wheel work. Dress for MESSY fun!

Andrea Hays has taught for many years and thrives on culturing the expressive side of people who try pottery through lots of encouragement, many tricks of the art, and professional instruction.

Instructor: Andrea Hays

Location: Pottery Room

#5761 Wed, Apr 19 – May 24 4:30 – 6 p.m.

Piano, Guitar, or Singing Lessons

Ages 6 and older

Change your world, take lessons on the piano or guitar and make your family or yourself happy. Turn those squeaky chords you've been playing into riffs of pleasant melody (again, make your family happy).

Bruce will teach you according to your ability on piano, clarinet, bass guitar, blues harp, drums, or voice! He invites you to discover (or RE-discover) what you like about music.

Local professional artist Bruce Howard brings his teaching expertise and deep music history knowledge to Seattle Parks and Recreation. Conversations with Bruce will be just as enlightening as the lesson!

Owning a keyboard/piano is helpful; singers will need access to a tape player. Call 684-4093 to register for private 30 minute weekly sessions. Call Bruce for specific class times and special needs, 789-8900.

Instructor: Bruce Howard

Location: Kids Room

#5763 Mon, Apr 10 – Jun 5 3:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Activity Fee \$145.00



Athletics

Girls Softball

\$35

Modified fast pitch games at Lower Woodland in the spring. Full teams are allowed to enter this Seattle Parks and Recreation program. Contact Ballard CC for more information, 684-4093. Practices are usually afternoons, based on volunteer coaches' availability (Volunteer coaches are needed). Get the neighborhood girls or your classmates and put a team together. Registration begins February 13th.

Location: Outdoor Space

Ages 10 – 11

#6917 Mon, Apr 17 – Jun 12 3:30 – 5 p.m.

Ages 12 – 13

#6918 Mon, Apr 17 – Jun 12 3:30 – 5 p.m.

Ages 14-17

#6919 Mon, Apr 17 – Jun 12 3:30 – 5 p.m.

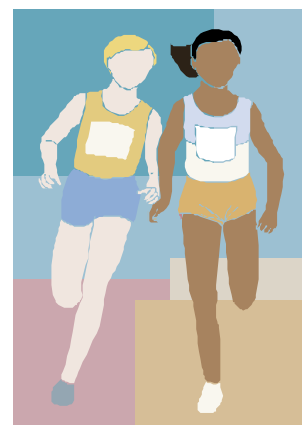
Track (5-17yrs)

\$35

Instruction in the many different events is offered at team practices. Track meets are held weekly throughout the season with a City championship meet at the end of the season. Practices will be held twice a week and days are determined by volunteer coach availability. Registration begins February 13th.

Location: Outdoor Space

#6920 Mon, Apr 17 – Jun 12 3:30 – 5 p.m.



Urban 4-H Club

4-H Club

Ages 13-18

When you think 4-H you generally think horses, cows and farms. Not so anymore.

4-H has been defined by teens as a community of youth across America learning life skills, leadership and citizenship in a diverse environment. Come explore 4-H with us and learn about horses, plant science, cooking, watersheds and practical life skills. 4-H is open to all youth ages 5 (as of October 1, 2005) through 19. Younger members learn in a hands-on environment. Middle school and High School youth participate in Leadership and Service Learning Projects. Please contact 4-H Leader, Elaine Dunn for more information, 684-4093.

We meet each Friday from 4:00-5:00pm.

Location: Kids Room

#6914 Fri, Apr 14 – Ju 16

4 – 5 p.m.



Note: 4-H Clover logo protected under 18 U.S.C. 707

4 - H Club Flea Market

All Ages

Come to the 4-H Club Flea Market! There will be something for everyone at the flea market...one of a kind items, crafts, knick Knacks, and conversation pieces. This is a fund raiser for the 4-H Club.

Location: Gym

#5196 Sat, Mar 25

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Activity Fee \$10.00



4-H Camp-In @ The Pacific Science Center

All Ages

Youth in grades 3-8 spend Saturday night dining on the terrace, exploring the Science Center, participating in a fun workshop and dancing with the dinosaurs. Wake up Sunday for breakfast on the terrace, a laser show and an Imax show. Meet youth from all corners of Washington State. Youth in grade 9-12 can serve as teen volunteers and assist the Pacific Science Center Staff.

#6387 Sat, Apr 1 – Apr 2

5 p.m. – Noon

Activity Fee \$0.00

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Teens

“Pretty Prep” @ Late Night Every Friday 10-11pm

“Pretty Prep” provides options on how to feel pretty on the inside and out!

This program consists of a variety of self discovery workshops and classes that include manicures, pedicures, spa facials, yoga, ab-workouts, bath crystal creation, and self defense. Learn how to make your own bath salts, and aromatherapy candles!

Fridays **10 – 11 p.m.**



Good Eats!

Every 2nd & 4th Thursday we will learn how to prepare and eat foods from all around the world! Some week's guest chefs will teach us new and fun desserts and dishes. Learn how to cook for many with little dollars! Streeetch your money!!

Thursdays **4 – 6 p.m.**

GPA DAY!

First 10 teens signed up with a GPA of 2.5 or better will go on a special trip! Report cards needed to prove your marks. GPA trips in the past have included Gameworks, the ballet, Family Fun Center, and dinner at Red Robin and Azteca!

Service Saturdays **11am-3pm**

Every other 3rd Saturday we volunteer at Northwest Harvest! A variety of volunteer events will be available please see monthly teen calendar for specifics!
Mar 18 and May 20

FIT TEENS!

Classes will include Fencing, Breakdancing, Hip-hop, Badminton, yoga, self-defense, African Dance, Salsa, and anything else our teens can think up!!

Tuesdays **5 – 7 p.m.**

Sports Brigade!

Every Friday join us as we engage in dodgeball, flag football, kickball, softball, volleyball, and various sports activities! Some games may be away at other community centers.

Fridays **4 – 6 p.m.**



Teens

Volunteer at the Bread of Life Mission

"Community Service" becomes "Service Learning" when we discover the value in the time we donate and volunteer. We will not only help to serve dinner to over 80 homeless persons, but we will discuss the impacts of our time on the people we are serving.

1st & 3rd Thursdays



SAT Preparation Course

College is your goal when you are in high school. The Standard Aptitude Test (SAT) is one of the essential ingredients to you getting there. We will work together to prepare you for that test.

Mondays March 13-April 24

Time: TBA

WASL Preparation Course

Every student must pass the WASL. High schools and colleges look at these test scores when they decide who gets to go to their school. We will work with you to prepare you for these tests.

Times TBA

Other programs we are planning for teens at Ballard Community Center:

- "Spart-Spart" Teens Love the ARTS!
- Graffiti Art Class
- Pottery Class
- Teen Jazz
- African Drum Class

We are always looking for involvement from this community. Do you have skills, time, and a desire to contribute to teen learning and activities? We can provide your outlet. Please contact Ballard CC Teen Development Leader, Lakema Bell, 206-684-4093 to discuss your ideas or plans.



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Senior Adults

Registration Information

Carol Baxter, Recreation Specialist – 206-233-7138

Spring Quarter Dates: April 3 – June 16

No Programs: Monday, May 30 (Memorial Day)

Make-Ups: We encourage you to make up cancelled classes at any other site in the city. Please inform the instructor you're making up the class.

Class Registration begins March 20. Class dates/times are subject to change.

Trip Registration: Register by calling 206-233-7138 at 8 a.m. on the registration date listed for each trip. (Please do not call earlier or your registration will not count). You may sign up yourself and one other person. When you call, please leave your name, phone number, name of trip, and pick-up site. You'll be called back within 24 hours of registration only if you're on the wait list. Trip dates, times, and destinations are subject to change.

Van pick-up from Ballard CC for Southbound trips is at time listed, van pick-up from Ballard CC for Northbound is 30 minutes before time listed. Vans will only wait 5 minutes for late people

Mail all payments to: Sr. Adult Programs, Attn: Stacie, 8061 Densmore Ave. N, Seattle, WA 98103. Make checks payable to 'SAAC'

More info and citywide events: Contact Senior Adults 206-684-4951.

Tuesdays	11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Ballard CC
Wednesdays	12:30 – 2:30 p.m.	Loyal Heights CC
Fridays	12:30 – 2:30 p.m.	Bitter Lake CC

BOOKS AND WRITING

Ballard Library Book Club Free

Meets the last Friday of each month at 10:30 a.m.

Location: Ballard Library, 5614 22nd Ave NW.

Apr 28: Love Medicine by Louise Erdrich; **Feb 24:** Snow Falling on Cedars by David Guterson; **Mar 31:** The Same Sea by Amos Oz

Broadview Library Free

Meets the third Wednesday of each month at 2 p.m.

Location: Broadview Library, 12755 Greenwood Ave N.

Apr 19: Devil in the White City by Eric Larsen; **May 16:** The Sisters by Mary Lovell; **Jun 21:** Travels with Charlie by John Steinbeck

COOKING, MOVIES, AND MEALS

Movie & Lunch Monday

Meet other silver screen fans and enjoy a movie with a themed lunch. Registration required.

Mondays 10:15 a.m. – 1:15 p.m. Ballard CC

Apr 24: Ladies in Lavender

Set in an English seaside town in 1936, this drama tells the somber tale of two elderly sisters who nurse a young man back to health.

May 22: March of the Penguins

This is a true tale of birth, survival, dating, mating, and danger. That's right, it's a documentary about penguins, nature's best dressed animals.

Jun 12: Bee Season

Eliza Naumann is seemingly the least remarkable member of a family of overachievers. All that changes when she unexpectedly wins a spelling bee.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Please register for all special events at least one week prior to the event so we can have appropriate seating available.

Estate Planning Free

This fast-paced workshop will include valuable information on a variety of subjects critical to the estate planning and preservation process, including joint tenancy, wills, revocable family trusts, estate taxes and their impact on the planning process, choosing an IRA beneficiary, long-term care and its financial impact, minimizing social security taxation, understanding Medicare Part D prescription coverage, and much more.

Fri, Apr 7 1:30 – 3 p.m. Bitter Lake CC

AEROBICS, FITNESS, AND DANCE

PACE (Arthritis Exercise) \$30

PACE=People With Arthritis Can Exercise. Class includes range of motion, strengthening, and much more. **Instructor:** Carol Baxter

Tuesdays 9 – 10 a.m. Ballard CC

Senior Aerobics \$20 – 1 day/wk

A friendly, low impact aerobics class that will energize you. Body strengthening and stretching taught by **certified instructor Debbie Gotchef.**

Mondays 9 – 10 a.m. Ballard CC

Thursdays 9 – 10 a.m. Bitter Lake CC

Walk & Tone \$25

This class includes walking, stretching and strengthening to great music. Have fun while improving your health.

Instructor: TBA

Fridays 8:30 – 9:30 a.m. Ballard CC

Pickleball \$2 drop-in (65+ \$1)

Learn this fun game — a cross between tennis and Ping-Pong — that is played indoors. All equipment provided!

Tuesdays 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Bitter Lake CC

Senior Adults

Medicare Drug Plan — Still Confused? Free

Join Andrew Tartella from the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services to hear all the you need to know about signing up for the new Medicare Drug Prescription Plan.

Mon, Apr 10 10:45 a.m. – Noon Ballard CC

Easter Egg Extravaganza Free

Come and help out the Easter Bunny. Join the children and me at the community center for fun decorating eggs, eating hot cross buns, and having a great time together!

Fri, Apr 14 10:45 a.m. – Noon Ballard CC

AARP Driving Class \$10

Save money on your insurance, sharpen your driving skills, and compensate for normal, age-related physical changes. **Class is \$10, make checks out to AARP and bring to class on first day.** This class is 8 hours; students must attend both days.

Thu/Fri, Apr 20/21 9 a.m. – 1:15 p.m. Ballard CC

Memory Wellness- "What's Normal, What's Not!" Free

Is memory loss "normal" as we age? What are some of the common causes of memory problems? What does research show that may help prevent or reduce memory loss? Dr. Watson will address these and other important questions. Dr. Watson has a Ph.D. in clinical psychology, with a specialty in neurophysiology. He conducts research on Alzheimer's disease at the Memory Wellness Program of the U of W and VA Medical Center.

Fri, May 5 1 – 3 p.m. Ballard CC

Memory Improvement Course \$30/4-wk session

This memory improvement course helps participants understand how memory works and changes with age. Participants will learn easy ways to improve their memory and keep their mind active to reduce the risk of Alzheimers. This class is not appropriate for people who have dementia. Register by April 28. **Instructor: Jane Tornatore, PhD**

Tue/Fri: May 12 – Jun 21 – 2:30 p.m. Ballard CC

Beach Blanket Bingo Party! \$6

Carol & Jayla are getting together to bring you the coolest party. Enjoy a great barbeque, horseshoes, bocce ball, and Beach Blanket Bingo. You may win fabulous prizes, and get a start on your summer tan. To register call Jayla at 206-386-9106 beginning March 20.

Wed, Jun 14 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Golden Gardens Bathhouse

Senior Field Trips

Northwest Trip

Registration Information

Make checks payable to: SAAC.

Mail checks to: Senior Adult Programs

Attn: Carol – NW, 8061 Densmore Ave N, Seattle, WA 98103-4436.

Trip Registration: Phone-in only by calling 206-233-7138 at 8 a.m. on the date listed for each trip. Leave your name, phone number, and pick-up site. You can sign up yourself and one other person. You'll **only** be called back if you're on the wait list. All trip times, costs, and destinations are subject to change. **Payment must be received 5 working days prior to departure.**

Pick-up Sites:

(Please park your car on the road.)

Ballard CC 6020 28th Ave NW

Bitter Lake CC 13035 Linden Ave N

Loyal Heights CC 2101 NW 77th St

Southbound trips (S-Bound): Leave Bitter Lake, 30 min. before; Loyal Heights, 15 min. before; Ballard CC, at trip time listed. **Northbound trips (N-Bound):**

Leave Ballard 30 min. before; Loyal Heights 15 min. before; Bitter Lake, at trip time listed. **Vans will only wait 5 minutes for late people.**

Tulips & Quilts \$10

We will tip-toe through the tulips in Mt. Vernon before heading over to Anacortes for their quilt walk. Lunch on your own in Anacortes. Bring \$4 admission with you for tulips fields. **Northbound.**

Wed, Apr 5 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Reg. Mar 21.

Hulda Klager Lilac Festival \$40

Carol & Jayla unite to bring you this great trip. We are off to Woodland, Washington to visit the Hilda Klager Lilac Gardens and the Cedar Creek Grist Mill. At the Lilac Garden we will take time to stroll around, look at the gift shop, and museum. Bring your sack lunch and enjoy a picnic on the grounds. After, we are hopping over to the Grist Mill where we will get a demonstration on how this 1876 water-powered mill grounds flour. **Bring a \$2 donation for the Lilac Garden and a \$1 donation for the Grist Mill. Snacks provided for the bus rides up and back.** **Pick Up at Bitter Lake 7:45 a.m., Lower Woodland 8:15 a.m.**

Wed, Apr 19 7:45 a.m. – 6 p.m. Reg. Mar 29

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Senior Field Trips

Rhody Ridge Arboretum \$6

Join us as we have a tour of this 11-acre botanical park. At this time of year the rhodies should be in bloom. After, we will head to Woodinville for lunch and a quick stop at Molbak's. **Northbound.**

Wed, Apr 26 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. Reg. Apr 11

Seattle Repertory Theater: Tuesdays with Morrie \$20

Mitch Albom reconnects with his past college professor and mentor Morrie Schwartz. Have lunch (on your own) at Seattle Center or another restaurant close to the theater. Show starts at 2 p.m. **Southbound.**

Wed, May 3 11:45 a.m. – 5 p.m. Reg. Mar 28

Carkeek Low Tide Beach Walk \$3

Join a Carkeek Naturalist for an eye opening experience. Learn about the creatures that you can only see on these very low tides. Bring a sack lunch to enjoy before hand. **Northbound.**

Mon, May 15 11:30 a.m. – 3 p.m. Reg. May 2

Bloedel Reserve \$20

We are taking the ferry over to Bainbridge Island to see the 150-acre estate left by the Bloedel Donovan family. Stroll through woodlands and gardens. Enjoy the reflection pond and the moss and Zen gardens. We will stop for lunch in downtown Bainbridge, on your own. **Southbound.**

Wed, May 17 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Reg. Apr 28

Central West Newest Park Gems \$6

Catherine Anstett is back to take us on another enlightening tour of some of our parks system's hidden treasures. This time we will be focusing on the Central West sector. Bring a sack lunch. **Southbound.**

Wed, May 24 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. Reg. May 8

Summer Planning Meetings Free



Please bring ideas, newspaper clippings, suggestions for classes, workshops, trips and general program offerings. Attend one or all. First half of meetings we discuss walking; second half, trips.

Tue, Apr 4 9 – 10 a.m. Bitter Lake CC

Thu, Apr 6 10 – 11:30 a.m. Ballard CC

Lunch Club \$3 + meal cost

Reserve your seat March 27 at 8 a.m. 17–20% gratuity on table's tab. Meet at Ballard CC. at 11 a.m. (\$ = \$10)

Tue, Apr 11: Barking Frog (\$\$)

Tue, May 9: Serafina (\$\$)

Tue, Jun 6: Brooklyn (\$\$)

Nature Walks and Hikes \$5.50/walk

Enjoy forests, streams, and more. Walk at your own pace for up to 1½ hours. "Walks" are on flat, mostly level terrain; "hikes" are a little more challenging with slopes. To register, call March 30 at 8 a.m. Wear all-terrain shoes. Bring a sack lunch.

Van pick-up: Ballard CC

Farrel-McWhirter Park Walk (level to gentle grades) Trail is 2 miles on paved and natural surfaces.

Wed, Apr 12 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Federation Forest Trail Hike (flat to gentle slopes) A hike through the forest.

Wed, May 10 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Little Si Hike (gentle to steep at times)

Located by North Bend.

Wed, Jun 7 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Volunteer Opportunities

Simple, one-hour, non-strenuous work and socializing. Bring a sack lunch; we provide drinks and treat. Name the park with which you'd like to assist. Van pick-up from Ballard Community Center. Please register after 8 a.m. March 29.

Tue, Apr 18: Carkeek Park Earth Day Party!

10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

For this special day we will be providing you lunch. There will also be chances to win prizes.

Tue, Mar 14: Atlantic Street Nursery

Tue, Jun 13: Atlantic Street Nursery



**Maintenance Closure Rescheduled for
March 6 – June 11, 2006**

Ballard Pool will be open all fall!

**Visit our web site at
www.seattle.gov/parks/Aquatics/Ballardp.htm
or come into Ballard Pool for schedule!**



Seattle Parks and Recreation is celebrating Earth Day (April 22) in many ways throughout April. Here are just some of the ways you can get involved:

- Worm Bin Composting Workshop, Green Lake Community Center, April 22, 206-684-0780
- Join our Teen Earth Arts Camp in Leavenworth, April 7 – 9, 206-684-9270
- Camp Long Movie Night, *Living With Wolves*, April 27, 206-684-7434
- Care for Seattle's urban waterways as a Creek Steward or a one-time volunteer, 206-684-4163
- Organize a Spring Clean neighborhood cleanup event near your home or work, 206-684-0570

For information on other programs, please call Adam Cole at 206-733-9701, or visit the web at: www.seattle.gov/parks/Environment/earth.htm.

Join the Green Seattle Partnership and EarthCorps April 21 and 22 in the West Duwamish Greenbelt. If we don't remove ivy or plant new trees, we will lose our forests within the next 20 years! To sign up, visit www.earth-corps.org. To learn other ways to participate, call Joanna Nelson, Cascade Land Conservancy Forest Steward Program Coordinator, at 206-233-5019 x117. Thanks!

**The Pro Parks Levy is
Making a Difference in
Your Community**

With funding approved for this eight-year levy by Seattle voters in 2000, we're building new parks, enhancing maintenance, and expanding programs throughout the city. Our recreation facilities are providing innovative teen programs that enhance self-esteem and build life skills, more environmental education to increase awareness about the wonders that surround us, swimming lessons for all 3rd and 4th graders to make sure every Seattle child knows how to swim, a wider range of activities for seniors, and more.

We're cleaning and removing litter from our facilities and parks more often; expanding park maintenance in the summer months, when use is high; and working hard to maintain our valuable landscapes, trees, and other natural assets. Whether you prefer sports or quiet contemplation, there are more active play areas and passive park lands available for you. New things are happening every day, so keep an eye out for Pro Parks Levy signs in your neighborhood!



You can make a difference!

The Ballard Advisory Council is a group of citizens dedicated to the enrichment of our community. Its support enables us to offer a variety of programs and services for people of all ages, abilities and backgrounds.

Our Advisory Council is always looking for new members. Meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of every month to talk about programs, policies, and financial issues. Citizen direction and participation are vital to our continued success. Advisory Council members also create scholarship opportunities through grant writing and other fundraising activities. If you'd like to get involved, please contact our staff at 206-684-4093.

Most classes, workshops, sports, special events, and facility rentals are funded through the Advisory Council rather than through Seattle Parks and Recreation. Revenues generated through program fees offset program costs to make Advisory Council activities self-sustaining. We rely heavily on program participation, donations, and contributions to buy, repair, maintain, and upgrade program equipment and supplies.

Fees and charges

Our Advisory Council provides the programs and activities listed in this brochure under an agreement with Seattle Parks and Recreation. Fees collected by the Advisory Council are used to offset the cost of providing the programs. Program charges include user fees of \$1 per class, \$1.50 per workshop, and \$1.30 per participant in each athletic game, paid to Seattle Parks and Recreation to defray operating costs. People 60 and older are not charged these user fees unless there is a stated senior fee for a particular class. Class and program fees include Washington State sales tax where applicable.

Suggestions

We welcome your ideas. If you want to suggest a new class, or if you have an idea you think would benefit us or our community in general, please let us know.

Interested in teaching?

We're always looking for top quality instructors to offer unique courses. We choose class offerings based on participants' interest and space availability. If you have a special talent, skill, or knowledge you would like to share with others in a class or workshop format, please talk to a member of our staff.

Anti-discrimination

As a matter of policy, law, and commitment, Seattle Parks and Recreation does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, political ideology, age, creed, religion, ancestry, national origin, or the presence of any sensory, mental or physical handicap.

Accommodation for people with disabilities.

We will make reasonable accommodation, upon request, for people with disabilities. For sign language interpretation, auxiliary aids or other accommodation, please call 206-615-0140 or TDD 206-684-4950. Please allow 10 working days' advance notice. If a class or activity is scheduled in an area not accessible for wheelchairs, we will make every effort to help you find a similar program in an accessible location.

Special Populations

For information on programs for youth/adults with disabilities, please call the Specialized Programs Office at 206-684-4950.

E-Brochures are available!

In keeping with our environmental stewardship policies, we're trying to reduce the amount of paper we use. We invite you to visit our web site at www.seattle.gov/parks. You can find this brochure information online.

More information

For information about Parks and Recreation facilities, recreation programs, picnic shelters, and scheduling, please visit our web site at www.seattle.gov/parks, or call our Public Information line, 206-684-4075. For more information about programs for senior adults, please call 206-684-4951, and for more information about programs for special populations, please call 206-684-4950.

Waiting lists

We will create waiting lists for all filled classes. Please be sure to sign up if you are interested in a class that is full, because class openings often become available. If demand is high, we will try to form another class. Please contact us for space availability.

Class cancellations

To cover the cost of providing a program, we need a specific number of participants. If too few people sign up for a class, we must cancel it. We'll notify you (at the latest) one or two days before the class start date. When possible, we will postpone a cancelled class for a week to allow for more enrollments; if the class minimum is not met by then, we will have to cancel it.

Confirmations

Sorry, we cannot confirm class registration by mail or phone, but we will notify you by phone if your class is postponed or cancelled.

SEATTLE PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAM REGISTRATION FORM

in partnership with the Associated Recreation Council

This form is for NON-Day Camp programs only. Ask recreation staff for day camp registration forms as needed.



**SEATTLE PARKS
AND RECREATION**

Registration Procedures:

1. Please complete registration form entirely.
2. Payment MUST accompany registration.

Family Information: (Please complete for the adult who is financially responsible for the family account.)

(ADULT) Name: _____ Sex: Male Female
Last First MI (Circle One)

(ADULT) Birthdate: ____/____/____ Email Address: _____
mm/dd/yyyy

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone - eve: (____) _____ day: (____) _____ other: (____) _____

Family Emergency Contact: _____
Name Phone Relation

☐ PARTICIPANT info differs from above. How does it differ? _____

PARTICIPANT (please print full name)	M/F	BIRTHDATE (mm/dd/yyyy)	COURSE TITLE (Non-Day Camp Activities ONLY)	1 ST CHOICE		ALTERNATE		AMOUNT
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*Acceptance of this request does not guarantee enrollment into a class (see back for more information).								\$
TOTAL								

How would you like to pay?

Person making payment _____
(required for proper refunding)

**PLEASE INCLUDE
PAYMENT**

☐ Cash (Please do not send cash through the mail.)

☐ Check or Money Order # _____

Staff Use Only

Authorization (Ref#) _____

☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard ☐ American Express

For
mail-
in
only

Card #: _____ Expires: _____

Name as it appears on card: _____

Signature: _____

ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE: I hereby give my consent as a participant or for the above-named participant(s) to participate in the program(s) listed above being conducted or co-sponsored by Seattle Parks and Recreation and declare that I will not hold the City of Seattle, Seattle Parks and Recreation, Seattle Parks and Recreation's employees, Advisory Council, or any volunteer associated with the program, responsible for any injuries, damage or personal loss incurred while participating in said program(s).

Signed: _____ Date: _____

For Office Use Only:

RENT THE GOLDEN GARDENS BATHHOUSE!

The remodeled Golden Gardens Bathhouse offers a spectacular waterfront location to host your next special event. Your guests will never forget their experience at this unique venue!

Visualize this scene for your ceremony, reception, seminar, or party: serene forested hillside to the east, and to the west, a beautiful sandy beach, sailboats on Puget Sound, and the sun setting over the Olympic Mountains—just 14 minutes from downtown Seattle!

The historic Golden Gardens Bathhouse, located just west of the Ballard neighborhood, was built in the 1930s and, thanks to the Pro Parks Levy approved by Seattle voters in 2000, renovated in 2004. Independent heating keeps the bathhouse warm in the winter, and cross ventilations keep it cool in the summer.

The Main Hall comfortably accommodates up to 140 seated guests (although tables will need to get moved before the dancing begins). The bathhouse can accommodate as many as 175 to 220 guests, depending on the event that is planned. The Main Hall features a cathedral ceiling with many skylights that flood the room with natural light.



The Wet Classroom is included in your rental. Caterers often use this smaller room for food preparation because it has a refrigerator, microwave, a three-tub sink, and lots of

counter space. For a small additional fee, a small secluded room off the hall can be used for break-out sessions, a dressing room, or as a quiet baby area.

Five sets of French doors open west onto a large sidewalked area facing the beach and the Olympics. The east patio is quiet and cooler on sunny days.

Reasonable rates and friendly staff make this an ideal spot!



Building Features

- Tables (round and rectangular) and ergonomic chairs
- Easels and dry erase boards
- Stage
- Independent temperature control
- TV and VCR

Site Features

- Onsite parking
- Handicap accessible
- Outside deck and viewing areas
- Children's play area
- Beach fire pits & volleyball
- Restored dunes, wetlands, and trails

Rental Rates and Options

Main Hall:

- Approximate hourly rates \$110 – \$150 per hour
- Rooms are rented in minimum two-hour blocks.
- Rental groups are responsible for set-up and take-down.
- Additional charges apply (application fee, staffing, etc.); call 206-684-7254 for a complete quote.

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